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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF

WINFRIED JESKE, ET AL.

SERIAL NUMBER: 09/575,051

FILED: MAY 19, 2000

TITLE: DIENE RUBBER COMPOUNDS
FOR IMPROVED RUBBER
MOLDINGS

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) EXAMINER: C. HENDERSON JR.
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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on October 16, 2000, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on January 16, 2001.

Enclosed is a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time bringing the deadline for response up to and including April 16, 2001. The Examiner's rejections have been carefully considered, and in view of the remarks, reconsideration and early allowance of all pending claims is courteously requested.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on 4/12/01
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